THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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REFERRED TO COMMITEE ON JUDICIARY, JANUARY 16, 2013

AN ACT

- 1 Amending Title 13 (Commercial Code) of the Pennsylvania
- 2 Consolidated Statutes, in transfers of funds, further
- 3 providing for exclusion of consumer transactions governed by
- Federal law; and making an editorial change.
- 5 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 6 hereby enacts as follows:
- 7 Section 1. Sections 4A102 and 4A108 of Title 13 of the
- 8 Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes are amended to read:
- 9 § 4A102. Subject matter.
- 10 Except as otherwise provided in section 4A108 (relating to
- 11 [exclusion of consumer transactions governed by Federal law]
- 12 relationship to Electronic Fund Transfer Act), this division
- 13 applies to funds transfers defined in section 4A104 (relating to
- 14 funds transfer; definitions).
- 15 § 4A108. [Exclusion of consumer transactions governed by
- 16 Federal law] Relationship to Electronic Fund Transfer
- 17 Act.
- 18 [This] (a) Nonapplicability.--Except as set forth in

- 1 <u>subsection (b), this</u> division does not apply to a funds transfer
- 2 any part of which is governed by the Electronic Fund Transfer
- 3 Act [of 1978 (Title XX, Public Law 95-630, 92 Stat. 3728]
- 4 <u>(Public Law 95-630</u>, 15 U.S.C. § 1693 et seq.)[, as amended from
- 5 time to time].
- 6 (b) Applicability. -- This division applies to a funds
- 7 <u>transfer that is a "remittance transfer" as defined in section</u>
- 8 919(g)(2) and (3) of the Electronic Fund Transfer Act (15 U.S.C.
- 9 § 16930-1(g)(2) and (3)), unless the remittance transfer is an
- 10 <u>"electronic fund transfer" as defined in section 903(7) of the</u>
- 11 Electronic Fund Transfer Act (15 U.S.C. § 1693a(7)).
- 12 (c) Inconsistency. -- In a funds transfer to which this
- 13 division applies, in the event of an inconsistency between an
- 14 applicable provision of this division and an applicable
- 15 provision of the Electronic Fund Transfer Act, the provision of
- 16 the Electronic Fund Transfer Act governs to the extent of the
- 17 inconsistency.
- 18 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.